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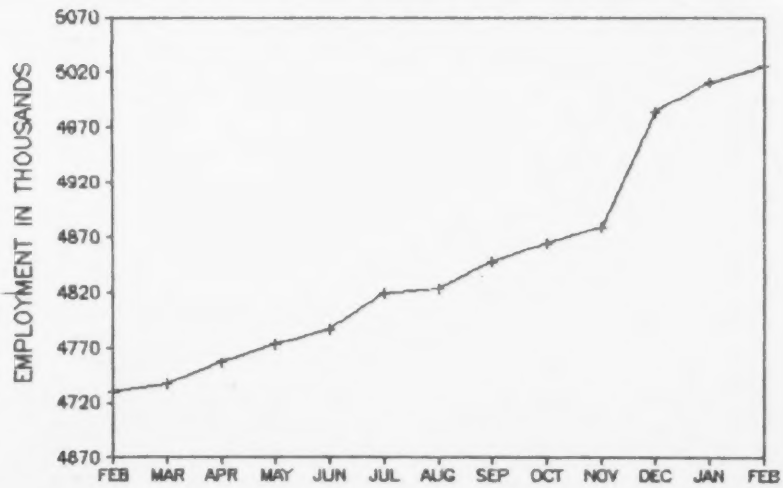
FLORIDA
Employment Trends

Department of Labor and Employment Security
Bureau of Labor Market Information

HIGHLIGHTS:

* Nonagricultural employment in February grew after seasonal adjustment by a healthy 5.9 percent or 281,900 new jobs over the year. Florida's job growth rate remained as the fastest of the populous states followed by North Carolina (4.3 percent) and California (4.0 percent).
* Services growth outpaced trade in February with an annual growth rate of 8.0 percent or 101,500 new jobs. Trade, Florida's largest industry, grew by 6.5 percent or 83,800 new jobs.
* Construction and manufacturing continued to experience a slight rebound in job growth over the year with gains of 4.3 percent and 3.4 percent, respectively.
* Unemployment in Florida stood at 5.3 percent in February representing 318,000 jobless out of a labor force of 6,013,000. Labor force growth has been strong in Florida while most of the other populous states with low unemployment rates have experienced slow labor force growth.

FLORIDA'S NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED, FEBRUARY 1987-FEBRUARY 1988



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STATEWIDE
NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT (IN THOUSANDS)
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED
FLORIDA

Published Industry Title	February Preliminary 1988	January Revised 1988	February Revised 1987	Over-the-Month Change Net	Over-the-Month Change Percent	Over-the-Year Change Net	Over-the-Year Change Percent
TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT	5024.9	5010.3	4743.0	14.6	0.3	281.9	5.9
MINING (1)	8.7	8.7	8.6	0.0	0.0	0.1	1.2
CONSTRUCTION	351.6	353.0	337.1	-1.4	-0.4	14.5	4.3
MANUFACTURING	540.3	541.3	522.7	-1.0	-0.2	17.6	3.4
DURABLE GOODS (1)	325.9	326.2	316.4	-0.3	-0.1	9.5	3.0
NONDURABLE GOODS	214.4	214.3	206.2	0.1	*	8.2	4.0
TRANSPORTATION, COMMUNICATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES (1)	259.3	258.8	250.4	0.5	0.2	8.9	3.6
TRADE	1371.1	1367.4	1287.3	3.7	0.3	83.8	6.5
WHOLESALE (1)	274.9	274.6	261.8	0.3	0.1	13.1	5.0
RETAIL	1097.0	1094.0	1026.3	3.0	0.3	70.7	6.9
EATING AND DRINKING PLACES	367.4	367.5	347.3	-0.1	*	20.1	5.8
FINANCE, INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE (1)	368.5	366.4	351.0	2.1	0.6	17.5	5.0
SERVICES	1367.1	1361.9	1265.6	5.2	0.4	101.5	8.0
HOTELS AND OTHER LODGING PLACES	133.8	133.7	122.4	0.1	0.1	11.4	9.3
HEALTH SERVICES (1)	346.0	344.6	325.5	1.4	0.4	20.5	6.3
TOTAL PRIVATE	4266.6	4257.5	4022.7	9.1	0.2	243.9	6.1
GOVERNMENT	758.3	752.8	720.3	5.5	0.7	38.0	5.3

* = Less than one-tenth of one percent.

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STATEWIDE
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PUBLISHED INDUSTRY TITLE	1987											1988		Over-the-Year Change	
	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB(P)	%	NUMBER
TOTAL NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT	4743.0	4765.1	4787.3	4811.3	4841.3	4884.5	4885.5	4914.6	4937.5	4960.2	4983.8	5010.3	5024.9	5.9	281.9
MINING (1)	8.6	8.6	8.5	8.6	8.7	8.7	8.7	8.8	8.7	8.7	8.6	8.7	8.7	1.2	0.1
CONSTRUCTION	337.1	336.5	337.4	338.4	339.3	341.9	340.2	342.5	344.4	345.7	348.2	353.0	351.6	4.3	14.5
MANUFACTURING	522.7	524.7	525.7	526.9	528.8	533.8	533.4	533.9	535.1	536.4	537.0	541.3	540.3	3.4	17.6
DURABLE GOODS (1)	316.4	317.8	317.5	318.5	319.9	318.9	319.9	320.6	322.0	323.9	325.3	326.2	325.9	3.0	9.5
NONDURABLE GOODS	206.2	207.2	208.1	208.9	210.2	212.5	212.0	212.5	213.5	213.4	213.6	214.3	214.4	4.0	8.2
TRANSPORTATION, COMMUNICATION AND PUBLIC UTILITIES (1)	250.4	252.9	253.7	254.9	256.3	256.3	256.5	257.2	259.7	260.9	263.4	258.8	259.3	3.6	8.9
TRADE	1287.3	1293.4	1299.3	1305.5	1313.6	1326.8	1329.7	1335.9	1341.4	1347.0	1352.4	1367.4	1371.1	6.5	83.8
WHOLESALE (1)	261 8	263.6	263.4	265.1	265.9	265.4	266.2	267.3	269.1	271.0	273.0	274.6	274.9	5.0	13.1
RETAIL	1026.3	1031.3	1036.8	1041.5	1048.4	1059.9	1061.9	1066.6	1071.0	1075.8	1080.1	1094.0	1097.0	6.9	70.7
EATING AND DRINKING PLACES	347.3	349.5	350.2	351.1	353.5	355.9	357.2	359.4	360.9	363.0	364.6	367.5	367.4	5.8	20.1
FINANCE, INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE (1)	351.0	353.9	355.6	358.6	362.7	364.5	364.1	363.8	365.2	366.2	367.1	366.4	368.5	5.0	17.5
SERVICES	1265.6	1273.0	1281.9	1290.8	1301.6	1314.2	1319.4	1328.7	1337.0	1345.4	1353.6	1361.9	1367.1	8.0	101.5
HOTELS AND OTHER LODGING PLACES	122.4	122.5	124.8	126.4	126.6	127.3	128.9	131.7	132.3	133.0	133.2	133.7	133.8	9.3	11.4
HEALTH SERVICES (1)	325.5	328.3	328.5	331.4	333.6	334.5	335.8	336.4	338.3	340.7	342.2	344.6	346.0	6.3	20.5
TOTAL PRIVATE	4022.7	4043.0	4062.1	4083.7	4111.0	4146.2	4152.0	4170.8	4191.5	4210.3	4230.3	4257.5	4266.6	6.1	243.9
GOVERNMENT	720.3	722.1	725.2	727.6	730.3	738.3	733.5	743.8	746.0	749.9	753.5	752.8	758.3	5.3	38.0

(P) - Preliminary Estimate

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STATEWIDE NONAGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT

	FEBRUARY 1988	JANUARY 1988 *	FEBRUARY 1987	CHANGE TO CURRENT MONTH FROM: MONTH AGO NO.	MONTH AGO PERCENT	YEAR AGO NO.	YEAR AGO PERCENT
TOTAL ALL INDUSTRIES	5,056,000	5,020,000	4,771,900	36,000	.7	284,100	6.0
MINING	8,700	8,700	8,600	0	.0	100	1.2
NONMETALLIC MINERALS, EXCEPT FUELS	7,600	7,600	7,500	0	.0	100	1.3
PHOSPHATE ROCK	3,700	3,600	3,500	100	2.8	200	5.7
CONSTRUCTION	346,200	346,200	331,800	0	.0	14,400	4.3
GENERAL BUILDING CONTRACTORS	91,600	91,800	88,500	- 200	- .2	3,100	3.5
HEAVY CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTORS	51,200	50,900	48,700	300	.6	2,500	5.1
SPECIAL TRADE CONTRACTORS	203,400	203,500	194,600	- 100	.0	8,800	4.5
MANUFACTURING	543,300	543,000	525,600	300	.1	17,700	3.4
DURABLE GOODS	325,900	326,200	316,400	- 300	- .1	9,500	3.0
LUMBER AND WOOD PRODUCTS	27,200	27,300	26,200	- 100	- .4	1,000	3.8
FURNITURE AND FIXTURES	14,800	14,700	14,100	100	.7	700	5.0
STONE, CLAY, AND GLASS PRODUCTS	27,200	27,200	25,400	0	.0	1,800	7.1
PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES	5,500	5,500	5,300	0	.0	200	3.8
FABRICATED METAL PRODUCTS	37,900	38,000	37,300	- 100	- .3	600	1.6
MACHINERY, EXCEPT ELECTRICAL	43,900	43,900	43,800	0	.0	100	.2
ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT	78,100	78,200	75,400	- 100	- .1	2,700	3.6
TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	65,900	66,200	64,800	- 300	- .5	1,100	1.7
INSTRUMENTS AND RELATED PRODUCTS	16,400	16,200	15,300	200	1.2	1,100	7.2
MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES	9,000	9,000	8,800	0	.0	200	2.3
NONDURABLE GOODS	217,400	216,800	209,200	600	.3	8,200	3.9
FOOD AND KINDRED PRODUCTS	51,000	51,200	49,600	- 200	- .4	1,400	2.8

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	FEBRUARY 1988	JANUARY 1988 *	FEBRUARY 1987	CHANGE TO CURRENT MONTH FROM: MONTH AGO NO.	MONTH AGO PERCENT	YEAR AGO NO.	YEAR AGO PERCENT
PRESERVED FRUITS AND VEGETABLES	14,700	14,700	13,100	0	.0	1,600	12.2
TOBACCO MANUFACTURES	1,700	1,800	1,600	- 100	- 5.6	100	6.3
TEXTILE MILL PRODUCTS	3,100	3,100	2,500	0	.0	600	24.0
APPAREL AND OTHER TEXTILE PRODUCTS	33,400	33,000	32,800	400	1.2	600	1.8
PAPER AND ALLIED PRODUCTS	15,200	15,200	14,700	0	.0	500	3.4
PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	66,400	66,000	62,900	400	.6	3,500	5.6
CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS	23,300	23,300	23,800	0	.0	- 500	- 2.1
PETROLEUM PRODUCTS	1,700	1,700	1,700	0	.0	0	.0
RUBBER AND MISCELLANEOUS PLASTICS PRODUCTS	19,700	19,600	17,600	100	.5	2,100	11.9
LEATHER AND LEATHER PRODUCTS	1,900	1,900	2,000	0	.0	- 100	- 5.0
TRANSPORTATION,COMM.,ELECT., GAS, AND SANITARY SERVICES	259,300	258,800	250,400	500	.2	8,900	3.6
TRANSPORTATION	157,000	156,400	148,100	600	.4	8,900	6.0
RAILROAD TRANSPORTATION	7,800	7,800	8,300	0	.0	- 500	- 6.0
LOCAL AND INTERURBAN PASSENGER TRANSIT	10,600	10,400	9,100	200	1.9	1,500	16.5
TRUCKING AND WAREHOUSING	54,200	53,800	51,300	400	.7	2,900	5.7
WATER TRANSPORTATION	15,700	15,800	14,400	- 100	- .6	1,300	9.0
TRANSPORTATION BY AIR	48,100	48,400	46,900	- 300	- .6	1,200	2.6
COMMUNICATION	66,000	65,900	67,400	100	.2	- 1,400	- 2.1
ELECTRIC, GAS, AND SANITARY SERVICES	36,300	36,500	34,900	- 200	- .5	1,400	4.0
TRADE	1,379,500	1,373,000	1,295,200	6,500	.5	84,300	6.5
WHOLESALE TRADE	274,900	274,600	261,800	300	.1	13,100	5.0
DURABLE GOODS	156,700	156,300	150,300	400	.3	6,400	4.3

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	FEBRUARY 1988	JANUARY 1988*	FEBRUARY 1987	CHANGE TO CURRENT MONTH FROM: MONTH AGO NO.	MONTH AGO PERCENT	YEAR AGO NO.	YEAR AGO PERCENT
NONDURABLE GOODS	118,200	118,300	111,500	- 100	- .1	6,700	6.0
RETAIL TRADE	1,104,600	1,098,400	1,033,400	6,200	.6	71,200	6.9
BLDG. MAT.,GARDEN SUPL., AND MOBILE HOME DEALERS	45,900	45,500	43,000	400	.9	2,900	6.7
GENERAL MERCHANDISE STORES	136,100	140,500	126,500	- 4,400	- 3.1	9,600	7.6
FOOD STORES	188,600	186,000	172,200	2,600	1.4	16,400	9.5
AUTOMOTIVE DEALERS AND SERVICE STATIONS	115,300	114,800	111,300	500	.4	4,000	3.6
APPAREL AND ACCESSORY STORES	61,500	61,700	56,800	- 200	- .3	4,700	8.3
FURNITURE AND HOME FURNISHING STORES	54,300	54,200	50,800	100	.2	3,500	6.9
EATING AND DRINKING PLACES	375,600	367,200	355,000	8,400	2.3	20,600	5.8
MISCELLANEOUS RETAIL STORES	127,300	128,500	117,800	- 1,200	- .9	9,500	8.1
FINANCE, INSURANCE, AND REAL ESTATE	368,500	366,400	351,000	2,100	.6	17,500	5.0
BANKING	76,900	76,500	74,400	400	.5	2,500	3.4
CREDIT AGENCIES OTHER THAN BANKS	67,700	67,700	64,400	0	.0	3,300	5.1
INSURANCE CARRIERS	57,500	57,200	55,200	300	.5	2,300	4.2
INSURANCE AGENTS, BROKERS, AND SERVICE	35,600	35,300	34,100	300	.8	1,500	4.4
REAL ESTATE	101,200	100,200	94,800	1,000	1.0	6,400	6.8
SERVICES	1,378,000	1,361,500	1,275,700	16,500	1.2	102,300	8.0
HOTELS AND OTHER LODGING PLACES	140,400	135,300	128,500	5,100	3.8	11,900	9.3
PERSONAL SERVICES	69,100	68,000	65,500	1,100	1.6	3,600	5.5
BUSINESS SERVICES	290,600	285,900	257,400	4,700	1.6	33,200	12.9
AUTOMOTIVE REPAIR, SERVICES AND GARAGES	49,200	48,500	47,100	700	1.4	2,100	4.5
MISCELLANIOUS REPAIR SERVICES	22,300	22,300	21,000	0	.0	1,300	6.2

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	FEBRUARY 1988	JANUARY 1988 *	FEBRUARY 1987	CHANGE TO CURRENT MONTH FROM: MONTH AGO NO.	MONTH AGO PERCENT	YEAR AGO NO.	YEAR AGO PERCENT
MOTION PICTURES	8,200	8,300	8,100	- 100	- 1.2	100	1.2
AMUSEMENT AND RECREATION SERVICES	87,700	86,300	81,400	1,400	1.6	6,300	7.7
HEALTH SERVICES	346,000	344,600	325,500	1,400	.4	20,500	6.3
LEGAL SERVICES	50,200	50,000	46,600	200	.4	3,600	7.7
EDUCATIONAL SERVICES	52,500	51,400	48,500	1,100	2.1	4,000	8.2
MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES	69,500	69,300	64,300	200	.3	5,200	8.1
GOVERNMENT	772,500	762,400	733,600	10,100	1.3	38,900	5.3
FEDERAL	114,600	114,800	110,100	- 200	- .2	4,500	4.1
STATE AND LOCAL	657,900	647,600	623,500	10,300	1.6	34,400	5.5
STATE	161,800	157,000	152,500	4,800	3.1	9,300	6.1
LOCAL	496,100	490,600	471,000	5,500	1.1	25,100	5.3

ALL INDUSTRIES ARE CLASSIFIED ACCORDING TO THE STANDARD INDUSTRIAL CLASSIFICATION MANUAL, 1972.
ALL DATA ARE ADJUSTED TO FIRST QUARTER 1987 BENCHMARK LEVELS.
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THE ABOVE INFORMATION IS MADE POSSIBLE THROUGH THE COOPERATION OF LOCAL EMPLOYERS WHO FURNISH EMPLOYMENT DATA ON A MONTHLY BASIS.

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LABOR FORCE SUMMARY
SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

State of Florida	February 1988	January 1988	February 1987	Over-The-Year Numerical Change	Over-The-Year Percent Change
Civilian Labor Force	6,013,000	5,993,000	5,775,000	238,000	4.1
Employment	5,695,000	5,698,000	5,453,000	242,000	4.4
Unemployment	318,000	295,000	322,000	- 4,000	- 1.2
Unemployment Rate	5.3	4.9	5.6	- 0.3	---
Nation					
Unemployment Rate	5.7	5.8	6.6	- 0.9	---

Source: U.S Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Population Survey.

LABOR FORCE SUMMARY
NOT SEASONALLY ADJUSTED

State of Florida	February 1988	January 1988	February 1987	Over-The-Year Numerical Change	Over-The-Year Percent Change
Civilian Labor Force	5,959,300	5,917,300	5,720,800	238,500	4.2
Employment	5,661,200	5,621,900	5,421,200	240,000	4.4
Unemployment	298,100	295,400	299,600	- 1,500	- 0.5
Unemployment Rate	5.0	5.0	5.2	- 0.2	---
Nation					
Unemployment Rate	6.2	6.3	7.2	- 1.0	---

Source: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Population Survey.

FLORIDA ECONOMIC INDICATORS
February 1988

Seasonally Adjusted - Statewide	Current Month	Month Ago	Year Ago	Percent Change Month	Percent Change Year
INITIAL UNEMPLOYMENT COMPENSATION CLAIMS/1					
Total Initial Claims	29,817	27,924	29,932	6.78	- 0.38
Interstate Initial Claims	3,639	3,339	3,833	8.98	- 5.06
Intrastate Initial Claims	26,178	24,585	26,099	6.48	0.30
INDUSTRY INTRASTATE INITIAL CLAIMS/1					
Services	8,834	8,155	7,952	8.33	11.09
Trade	3,899	3,764	4,268	3.59	- 8.65
Construction	4,292	3,918	4,772	9.55	- 10.06
Manufacturing	4,302	3,859	4,563	11.48	- 5.72
Mining, Government, Agriculture	2,157	2,242	2,894	- 3.79	- 25.47
Transportation, Communications, Public Utilities	802	755	768	6.23	4.43
Finance, Insurance, Real Estate	1,012	1,086	776	- 6.81	30.41
Information Not Available	880	806	106	9.18	730.19
CONTINUED CLAIMS/1					
Total Weeks Claimed	222,737	199,032	240,677	11.91	- 7.45
Interstate Weeks Claimed	29,069	27,144	31,552	7.09	- 7.81
Intrastate Weeks Claimed	193,668	171,888	209,145	12.67	- 7.40
ECONOMIC/2					
Housing Starts (At Annual Rates)	183,569	145,644	204,318	26.04	- 10.16
Construction Expenditures (Thousands)	1,582,370	1,568,159	1,474,750	0.91	7.30
Average Hours Worked Manufacturing	41	41	41	0.00	0.00
Taxable Sales (Thousands)	NA	11,041,600	9,450,000	NA	NA
Not Seasonally Adjusted - Statewide	* Data are based on program year which began July 1, 1986.				
JOB SERVICES/3					
Active file (end of month)	155,458	147,939	191,851	5.1	- 19.0
New Applications (month)	40,559	38,987	41,006	4.0	- 1.1
Applicants Receiving Service (07-01-87 to date)	294,040	260,901	348,240*	12.7	- 15.6
Nonfarm Openings Received (month)	34,911	32,751	36,240	6.6	- 3.7
Nonfarm Openings Unfilled (end of month)	41,094	39,860	36,850	3.1	11.5
Placement Transactions (month)	13,661	13,642	18,643	0.1	- 26.7
Individuals Placed (07-01-87 to date)	95,477	85,204	131,867*	12.1	- 27.6
Nonfarm (07-01-87 to date)	85,438	76,418	117,828*	11.8	- 27.5
Job Openings Filled (07-01-87 to date)	117,223	103,825	163,115*	12.9	- 28.1
Eligible Claimants Placed (07-01-87 to date)	13,338	12,038	19,278*	10.8	- 30.8

Sources:
1/ Florida Department of Labor and Employment Security, Division of Unemployment Compensation; Compiled and Seasonally Adjusted by the Executive Office of the Governor, Office of Planning and Budgeting, Revenue and Economic Analysis.
2/ Executive Office of the Governor, Office of Planning and Budgeting, Revenue and Economic Analysis.
3/ Florida Department of Labor and Employment Security, Division of Labor, Employment and Training.

Definitions: Initial Claim - Any notice of unemployment filed (1) to request a determination of entitlement to and eligibility for compensation (new claim) or (2) to begin a second or subsequent period of unemployment within a benefit year (additional claim).
Intrastate Claim - A claim filed in the same state in which the individual's wage credits were earned.
Interstate Claim - A claim filed in one state (agent) based on monetary entitlement to compensation in another state (liable).

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STATEWIDE	AVERAGE WEEKLY EARNINGS *			AVERAGE WEEKLY HOURS *			AVERAGE HOURLY EARNINGS *		
	FEBRUARY 1988	JANUARY 1988	FEBRUARY 1987	FEBRUARY 1988	JANUARY 1988	FEBRUARY 1987	FEBRUARY 1988	JANUARY 1988	FEBRUARY 1987
NONMETALLIC MINERALS, EXCEPT FUELS	399.59	406.25	397.31	45.1	45.8	45.2	8.86	8.87	8.79
PHOSPHATE ROCK	444.52	454.12	427.28	41.7	42.6	40.5	10.66	10.66	10.55
MANUFACTURING	335.78	337.43	331.70	40.8	41.0	40.9	8.23	8.23	8.11
DURABLE GOODS	336.19	338.66	337.00	40.8	41.2	41.4	8.24	8.22	8.14
LUMBER AND WOOD PRODUCTS	282.71	283.38	280.60	40.1	39.8	40.2	7.05	7.12	6.98
FURNITURE AND FIXTURES	255.42	257.91	245.36	39.6	38.9	38.7	6.45	6.63	6.34
STONE, CLAY, AND GLASS PRODUCTS	396.47	391.13	404.10	44.2	43.8	45.1	8.97	8.93	8.96
PRIMARY METAL INDUSTRIES	422.93	434.30	387.66	43.2	46.8	42.0	9.79	9.28	9.23
FABRICATED METAL PRODUCTS	295.60	301.60	305.29	39.1	40.0	41.2	7.56	7.54	7.41
MACHINERY, EXCEPT ELECTRICAL	374.82	380.10	375.36	41.6	42.0	42.8	9.01	9.05	8.77
ELECTRICAL AND ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT	346.11	346.04	338.60	41.7	42.2	41.7	8.30	8.20	8.12
TRANSPORTATION EQUIPMENT	376.89	383.11	389.23	39.3	40.2	40.8	9.59	9.53	9.54
INSTRUMENTS AND RELATED PRODUCTS	299.82	299.32	311.30	41.7	41.4	40.8	7.19	7.23	7.63
MISCELLANEOUS MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES	263.25	258.78	244.22	38.6	38.0	38.1	6.82	6.81	6.41
NONDURABLE GOODS	334.96	336.18	323.21	40.7	40.7	40.1	8.23	8.26	8.06
FOOD AND KINDRED PRODUCTS	312.06	309.86	313.02	42.4	42.1	42.3	7.36	7.36	7.40
PRESERVED FRUITS AND VEGETABLES	284.49	296.23	298.99	40.7	41.9	41.7	6.99	7.07	7.17
TOBACCO MANUFACTURES	303.56	294.00	246.56	40.1	39.2	36.1	7.57	7.50	6.83
APPAREL AND OTHER TEXTILE PRODUCTS	209.79	210.17	189.67	37.8	37.8	36.9	5.55	5.56	5.14
PAPER AND ALLIED PRODUCTS	528.63	544.95	533.72	44.2	45.0	46.9	11.96	12.11	11.38
PRINTING AND PUBLISHING	368.43	360.21	350.55	38.1	37.6	36.9	9.67	9.58	9.50
CHEMICALS AND ALLIED PRODUCTS	464.61	474.05	450.01	42.9	42.9	41.9	10.83	11.05	10.74
RUBBER AND MISCELLANEOUS PLASTICS PRODUCTS	293.86	302.63	279.39	43.6	44.9	41.7	6.74	6.74	6.70
COMMUNICATION	498.69	514.35	517.47	39.8	40.5	41.9	12.53	12.70	12.35
ELECTRIC, GAS, AND SANITARY SERVICES	544.85	546.53	506.62	42.5	43.0	41.8	12.82	12.71	12.12
BANKING	260.44	256.73	243.49	37.1	37.1	39.4	7.02	6.92	6.18

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